## Fall Judicial College/Judicial Council Meeting

October 14th -16th, 2009

The Embassy Suites - Rogers

## Wednesday, October 14, 2009

12:00 - 5:00 **Registration** 

12:00 - 5:00 Committee Meetings

	Salon AB	Salon CDE	Salon FGH	Grand 9
12:00	Juvenile	Court Interpreter Services	Judicial Education	Legislative
1:00		Memorial/Membership	Trial Judges Section	Nominating
2:00	Bar Liaison	Articles and By-Laws	Long Range Planning	Juvenile Drug Court
3:00	ADR		Ad Litem	Drug Court
4:00	Fair and Impartial Justice	Retired Judges	Judicial Council Board	

6:00 - 7:30

Reception in Grand Ballroom 10 hosted by the Arkansas Judicial Council/Arkansas Bar Association and the Administrative Office of the Courts

## Thursday, October 15, 2009

6:00 – 9:00 Full Breakfast available in the Atrium

8:30 - 10:00 Decision Making, Judging, and Culture Grand Ballroom 9-10

Michael Roosevelt, J.D.

California Administrative Office of the Courts

Judges make complex decisions informed by the facts of the case. However, judicial decisions may, in some instances, be influenced by intangibles outside of his or her conscious awareness. This interactive session explores the importance of knowing or understanding self in order to better serve an increasingly diverse court population.

10:00 - 10:15	Break			
10:15 - 11:45	Issues of Evidence <b>Professor Don Judges</b> University of Arkansas School of Law	Grand Ballroom 9-10		
	A discussion of current "Hot Topic" issues of Evidence, including an in-depth rev Rule 702 and 703 concerning expert witnesses in light of Daubert.			
12:00 - 1:30	Lunch and Business Meeting	Grand Ballroom 7-8		
1:30 - 2:30	Update: Access to Justice Commission Grand Ballroom 9-10  Hon. Annabelle Clinton Imber  Associate Justice of the Arkansas Supreme Court			
	Vincent Morris Assoc. Dir. of Technology and Justice Projects Arkansas Legal Services Partnership			
2:30 - 2:45	Break			
2:45 - 3:45	Update: ACIC <b>Brad Cazort</b> Administrator of the Criminal History Division	Grand Ballroom 9-10		
	An overview of the new rule changes in the area of expungements and a practical guided overview of understanding the data in criminal history reports.			
4:00 - 5:00	An Author's Hour with Polly Price: JUDGE RICHARD S. ARNOLD: A LEGACY ON THE	Grand Ballroom 9-10 E FEDERAL BENCH		
	A special half hour talk by the author followed by a reception in the foyer and book signing. Spouses and guests welcome.			
6:00 - 9:00	Group Dinner at the Hobbs Visitor Center, Hosted by the Benton and Washington County Bar Associations. Busses will depart from the hotel at 5:20pm., 5:30pm, and 5:40pm			

## Friday, October 16<sup>th</sup>, 2009

6:00 – 9:00	Full Breakfast available in the Atrium			
8:30 - 10:00	Travolta: A Civil Action Professor Howard Brill	Grand Ballroom 9-10		
	University of Arkansas School of Law			
	An interactive presentation on legal ethics utilizing clips from the major motion picture "A Civil Action." starring John Travolta.			

Hospitality is in the Bentonville Room

10:00 - 10:15

Break

10:15 - 11:15

Update: Water Law Issues in Arkansas Grand Ballroom 9-10

Hon. J.W. Looney
Circuit Judge, Mena

11:15 - 12:15

Ethics: New Code of Judicial Conduct
Professor Howard Brill
University of Arkansas School of Law

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